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Another
Two Weeks

on our entire stock
with the exception
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The weather has
been so bad that
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to come and for
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Best Class of Goods
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DESULTORY FIRING.

Rebels Still Making Resistance
at Manila.

A Tennessee Chaplain Dies of
Smallpox Leaving a
Young Bride.

Manila, March 1. The rebels are very active at Calocano and Malabon. They evidently intend to mount a battery in front of the Malabon church, destroyed by the fire of the United States monitor Monadnock on Feb. 27. They can be seen throwing up earthworks for guns and emplacements.

There was the usual desultory firing last evening and today, but the only casualty reported is in the case of Private Harold Parks, Company K, California Volunteers. The Nebraska volunteers for the reservoir had a slight brush with a small body of the enemy this morning. The rebels scattered into the jungle after the first volley.

The United States transport Tacoma has arrived here without the loss of a horse or mule.

The Negros commander has entertained several American officers, and British subjects at their hotel in return for the compliment paid them by Gen. Otis. They sailed for Negros to-day.

The United States transport St. Paul has embarked Col. Smith, Maj. Simmes, a battalion of the California Volunteers and the officers recently appointed to posts in Iloilo.

Chaplain Leland, of the Tennessee Regiment, whose death in Iloilo from smallpox is mentioned in the above dispatch, was from Camden, Tenn., and joined the regiment in Nashville, receiving his appointment from Gov. Taylor. Chaplain Leland was a young Baptist preacher, and had won considerable reputation in his section of the State as a fearless pulpit speaker.

As a minister of the gospel, he presented rather a rugged and unusual figure, and was entirely unconventional in his habits and speech, and there were not a few who looked askance upon his manner of wearing the cloth. Soon after the regiment reached San Francisco rumors began to float back of a romance in which Chaplain Leland was engaged, and after many weeks had passed there came the announcement of his engagement to a fair California girl. Shortly before the regiment sailed for Manila the marriage was solemnized, and the young bride accompanied her husband on the voyage. Whether she was with Chaplain Leland at Iloilo remained at Manila is not known.

POPULAR COUPLE.

Miss Willie Hughes and Mr. Dyer
to Wed at Morganfield.

Morganfield, Ky., Feb. 27. The marriage of Mr. J. T. Dyer and Miss Willie Hughes, two of the most popular young people in local society here, will occur tomorrow afternoon at 5 o'clock, at the home of the bride's family in this city. Only a few near friends and relatives will attend. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Dyer will leave for a tour of Eastern cities. Miss Hughes is a sister of Mrs. William S. Endland, of Henderson.

Visiting His Brother.

Mr. Parker McGhee, an employe of the L. & N., who got one of his legs broken at Guthrie about two months ago, is out again and is now on a visit to his brother, Mr. H. C. McGhee, at Gracey. He will go to work for the railroad company again about April 1st.

A BIG HAUL.

Covington Postoffice Burglarized and \$8,000 Taken.

Loss Will Fall On A. O. Reynolds,
the Postmaster—Investigation in Progress.

Covington, Ky., March 1. The Covington postoffice was entered by burglars some time during last night and about \$8,000 worth of stamps and postal cards taken. That it was a deliberate, deeply laid plan and the work of professionals is proved by the neatness and dispatch with which the job was done.

When John Salters, one of the stamp clerks, arrived this morning he noticed the door leading to the carriers' department open, which aroused his suspicions, and a little further investigation showed him the cabinet containing the stamps and postal cards with the doors broken open and all the contents on one side removed. Holes had been bored on each side of the locks and the drawers then forced.

The strange part of it is they left about \$7,000 worth of stamps behind.

The supposition is that the burglar or burglars gained admission into the place before 8 o'clock last night and hid under some newspaper sacks. A piece of cardboard was placed against the wire netting to shut off inspection from the outside.

The postmaster, O. A. Reynolds, succeeded Napoleon Carlisle, brother of Hon. John G. Carlisle, Inspector Hartson, of the Cincinnati division, has the case in charge, and, as is usual, refuses positively to talk on the matter, and will not give the actual amount stolen.

A SMALL FIRE.

Kitchen in the Rear of the Phelps Residence Destroyed.

At 11 o'clock Tuesday night fire was discovered in the roof of the frame kitchen in the rear of the large brick residence of the Misses Phelps, on South Main, by a passer-by. He rang the doorbell vigorously and aroused the family and turned in the fire alarm. In a short while the Fire Department responded, the flames in the meanwhile being kept somewhat in check by a small hose from the hydrant in the yard. The building was practically destroyed before the water from the fire plug could be turned on. It took only a few minutes to control the fire after work was begun and confine the damage to the small kitchen. The loss was about \$200 and was held by Brearby & Edmunds. It was promptly adjusted and settled the next day.

The fire started from a defective fuse over the kitchen range.

The servants' room, a few feet distance was not damaged.

IN SAME ROOM

And By Same Man Married, Di-
vorced and remarried.

Mr. Cullen Brannon and Miss Lizzie Thaxton, both of Daysville, Told county, were wedded at the County Clerk's office in Elkhorn Monday with a flavor of romance. In December, 1897, this couple was married at the same place, in December, 1898, divorced, and Monday remarried to each other. The county judge officiated at each event.

COOK-LONG.

Approaching Nuptials of a Popu-
lar Young Couple.

Dr. Jas. O. Cook, the popular young druggist, and Miss Hattie Long, only daughter of E. B. Long, President of the City Bank, and one of Hopkinsville's loveliest young ladies, will be married on March 21. The cards have not yet been issued.

J. T. Wall & Co's

To our many friends we extend our thanks for the up to date season that we have had. Our trade so far this season has been greater than any previous season. This shows our goods were correct and our prices right. We got our goods in at the proper time and our prices sold them. So it does not require any humbug advertisement these days. The people have learned that these big advertisements don't always mean good value.

What we advertise
Is just as we say.

There is no humbug about it, nor the way we got it, nor the way we sell it. Below are a few things that we have shut our eyes to the cost and put on our Job Tables. We will sell at these prices as long as they last.

Children's Jacket and Pants, ages 5, 6, 8 and 9. These goods are worth \$3, \$4 and \$5, for	1.50
Men's Wool Mixt Half Hose, the very thing you want for cold weather, worth \$16, for	8.00
1 Dozen Initial Handkerchiefs 10c for	10c
Men's Black Cotton Mackintoshes, fancy lining, other houses are selling them at \$2 and 25c, our prices	1.50
Men's fancy Ribbed Underwear, sixteen faced, pearl buttons, sizes Shirts, 36, 40, 42 and 44, worth \$16 (SEE OUR SHOW WINDOW) for	25c
Boys' gray and brown all wool Album Meltom Overcoats, handsomely tailored, sizes 14, 15, 16 and 17, worth \$10, for	6.50

30 dozen Men's and Boys' Linen Collars, worth \$6 and 25c each, 10c thrown out, per dozen	10c
Sizes 12, 12 1/2, 14, 14 1/2, 16, 16 1/2, 17, 17 1/2	
Children's Cotton Underwear, Shirts and Drawers; sizes 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28 & 30; prices 5, 10, 12, 13c a garment	
Children's Rubbers, sizes 12 to 12 1/2, prices	10c
Children's 50c 75c and \$1.00 Waist for	25c
Children's Jean Kneepants, 35 and 40, at	25c
Children's all wool long Pant Suits, ages 9, 10, 11 and 12, worth \$3, 4.00 and 5.00, for	1.50
Boys' Corduroy Knee Pant Suits, worth \$5, for	2.25
Boys' Wool Mixt Buckskin Gloves, worth 50c, for	25c

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W. W. CREWS DEAD.

JOHNSON-MALONE.

Succumbed to Pneumonia After Wedding Takes Place Near Pem-
broke Wednesday Afternoon.

Lafayette, Ky., Feb. 28. M. W. Malone, 34, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Malone, of this place, succumbed to pneumonia here yesterday morning. He had been a member of the Sharon Baptist church for a number of years, and of the local Masonic Lodge. He was a prominent and influential citizen. He will be greatly missed in the community in which he lived. He was about 35 years of age and couple being present. Mr. Johnson leaves a wife and six children, and his bride arrived in this city most of them grown, besides a large circle of relatives and friends to mourn his loss.

FARMER'S HOME

Destroyed by Fire While the
Family Was Absent.

The dwelling of Mr. John T. Johnson, of the Antioch country, was destroyed by fire a few days ago, together with a portion of the contents. The family was away from home and it is believed that an incendiary applied the torch, as there had been no fire in the house for several hours before the building was discovered in flames. Neighbors succeeded in saving some of the furniture. Mr. Johnson had \$800 insurance. His loss is estimated at considerably more.

DISTINCT SYMPTOMS.

A Child Dies of Spinal Trouble
Which Resembles Meningitis.

A little child of Mr. Jas. Littlefield, who lives just east of the city, died Tuesday night of some spinal trouble. It had only been sick a few days and it is said that there were symptoms of spinal meningitis.

New Prescriptionist.

Mr. L. P. Miller, of Pembroke, has accepted a position with Mr. C. Hardwick as prescriptionist. Mr. Miller has been in the drug business for several years, and is a very popular gentleman. He will move his family here in a few days.

COUNCIL MEETING.

Two Democrats Will be Absent
To-Night.

The regular meeting of the city council will be held to-night with two of the four Democratic members out of the city. The absence of the last meeting, when a similar state of affairs existed, should make the Mayors' veto on a bill on entertaining motions made by the three opposition members.

JAS. R. CANSLER

Returns From Active Service in
Cuba.

Jas. R. Cansler, the young Hop-
kinsville soldier discharged about
ten days ago, has arrived home
from Matanzas, Cuba.

Given Three Per Cent.

In the case of Verne Rodine against the L. & N. railroad company, tried in Russellville Monday, the jury returned a verdict for \$150 damages. Rodine was struck by a train. He sued for \$5,000 and was given three per cent of amount asked.

Jesse James Acquited.

Kansas City, March 1.—Jesse James, Jr., was acquitted of the charge of complicity in the train robbery at Leeds, near Kansas City.

THE DATE CHANGED.

Railroad Commissioner's Convention Will Be Held March 10.

On Account State Central and Executive Committees May Be Called at Lexington March 8.

(PAPERS OF NEWS.)

The First district railroad commissioners' committee met Tuesday in the parlors of the Palmer house, in pursuance to call issued by Chairman J. D. Macquot, of this city.

Mr. C. M. Meacham, of Hopkinsville, member from the second district, was present in person. He had the proxies of G. W. Roark, of the Third, and Geo. G. Fulton, of the Fourth district.

The state central and state executive committees have been called to meet at Lexington March 8, the same day on which the convention had been called at Hopkinsville. It would be impossible for Western Kentucky members to be at both places. For this reason Mr. Meacham offered a resolution that was adopted changing the date of the Hopkinsville convention from March 8 to 10.

Following is the official call from the committee:

Official Call.

Pursuant to the call of the chairman, the democratic district committee of the first railroad district of Kentucky, met at Paintock, Ky., at noon February 28, 1899.

There were present J. D. Macquot, chairman, of the first district; Chas. M. Meacham, secretary, of the Second district; G. W. Roark, of the Third district, by proxy, and Geo. G. Fulton, of the Fourth district, by proxy. Absent S. B. Dishman, of the Eleventh district. The chairman stated that when the call was issued there was but one candidate for railroad commissioner and it was thought that the committee might want to take some action in regard to calling in the district convention, but as another candidate had entered the contest such action was no longer advisable. Therefore the matter of calling in the convention heretofore ordered was not taken up.

Change of Date.

The following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Whereas, An unfortunate conflict has occurred in the time of meeting of the democratic state executive committee at Lexington, and the First district railroad convention at Hopkinsville on March 8, by which members of this committee, whose presence was essential at both gatherings will find it impossible to perform their double duties on the same day; therefore

Resolved, That the delegates to be selected by the various counties of this district on March 4, under the call of this committee, are hereby ordered and called to assemble at Hopkinsville at 2 o'clock p.m. Friday, March 10, instead of Wednesday, March 8, 1899.

Whereupon the committee adjourned.

J. D. Macquot, Chairman.

Chas. M. Meacham,
Secretary, First Railroad District Democratic Committee.

A Southern Association.

TO THE SOUTHERN PANDERS AND BREEDERS:

There is a grand move on the part of some prominent breeders of the South for the organization of a Southern Poultry Association. Some Texas and Mississippi breeders, along with myself and several others of Louisiana have had this most important of Southern chicken combination talk for some months, and now that the hall has started to roll down the hill, do not let it stop until it reaches the bottom and "pans out pay dirt." We must, will, and shall have a Southern Association, and there are today, such breeders as N. L. Hutchinson, Crystal Springs, Miss.; W. A. & B. E. Pouncey, Waco, Texas; R. L. Simmons, Shreve, N. C.; Savage Bros., Belton, Texas; C. & A. McAnuly, Circleville, Texas; W. J. Warner, Fort Worth, Texas; J. G. McReynolds, Dallas, Texas; Gribble & Miller, Waco, Texas;



The Amen of marriage always bears a baby. Without it, wedlock is a solemn field that never blooms; a field that never bears, a night without a star, a year without a harvest without a benediction, a year without Amen. There never was a human being worthy of the name, who did not aspire to be the father and the grandfather of healthy, capable children to hand down his name to posterity from generation to generation. There never was a wife fit to be the mate of a man who did not wear womanhood's most glorious crown, the sceptre of motherhood. Thousands of cases of infirmitiy, deformity, and short of wedlock's greatest happiness because they are childless. In the majority of cases, this is not because of ignorance or neglect, but suffers from weakness and disease of the organs distinctly feminine. For women who suffer in this infirmitiy, the medical profession does not fail to accomplish its purpose. It is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It acts as a tonic, a stimulant, a diuretic, and makes them strong, healthy, vigorous, virile and elastic. It relieves inflammation, removes the effects of rheumatism, the shattered nerves. It fits for wifehood and motherhood. It quickens and vitalizes the blood, removes the languor, takes the maladies of the expectant year, and makes baby's introduction to the world easy and almost painless. It restores the new mother's health and nourishment in plenty. It is the best supportive tonic for nursing mothers.

In cases of constipation Dr. Pierce's Pellets should be used as an adjunct to the "Favorite Prescription," and insure prompt and permanent relief.

Samuels, New Orleans, A. Alonso, New Orleans; Thos. T. E. Ellett, New Orleans; George M. Clarke, Kensington, Ga.; E. Dunstan, Winona, Miss.; W. J. Pfingst, Nashville, Tenn.; H. J. McAffert, Birmingham, Ala., and many others who would only be anxious for the notice of a meeting for the organization of this association, while there are plenty more that I do not mention who will be with us. The State of Texas can furnish at least 50 good experienced members, if I am not much mistaken, and I don't know that I am. I know Louisiana will furnish members, Mississippi at least ten. Why that's a start with more to do want?

Now what's the matter fellow Southern breeders, fanciers and everyone interested, with having a meeting here in New Orleans, during the Louisiana Industrial Exposition, May 7 to 31, 1899, for the organization of this association, and let us have a show in some Southern city during the year 1899. Let it be at Waco, Texas, to start with, and New Orleans or some other Southern city the following year. Beside the parties above named, there will be many more who will drop in like fly, and work for the success of the association, and we can have one more rousing Southern meeting and combine effort of every Southern breeder to put a shoulder to the wheel and keep it rolling along, never to stop. Let every writer in the South write his, or her opinion on this subject, so that the readers of the poultry press can realize that the South, as well as the North and the East, can have a united association for the betterment of the poultry interests of the entire South, and I trust that every breeder and fancier will let us hear from him.

I nominate Will V. Pouncey, Waco, Texas, and N. L. Hutchinson, Crystal Springs, Miss., as temporary chairman, to whom questions can be propounded and answered. Each questioner will kindly enclose a two cent stamp for the return of the information he wishes. I think any one of the above will willingly answer all questions asked.

Here's success to the Southern Poultry, Pigeon and Pet Stock Association. Yours Very Fraternally,
Geo. A. EYRE,
Secretary La. Association,
New Orleans, Feb. 99.

They Could Afford to Wait.

Will some one please explain how the Ohio plumbers found time to meet in State convention while winter pipes were bursting and freezing. Cleveland Press.

The longest telephone line in Germany connects Berlin with Berlin, a distance of 1012 kilo meters.

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Paint hanging specialty.
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DOWNFALL OF KING COTTON

Texas Growers, Influenced by the Prevailing Low Prices, Are Turning Their Attention to Tobacco Raising

TEXAS planters are gradually renouncing their allegiance to King Cotton and planting their seeds with tobacco. Aside from cotton, tobacco has been the chief product of the state for many years. In 1880, the crop was 1,000,000 bales, and year after year the crop has grown larger in proportion to the general increase in the product throughout the United States. But the increase of the product has brought a decrease of price, until the past year has seen cotton at the lowest price ever reached. In this connection a table recently compiled by the Bureau of Agriculture is of special interest. This table shows that the United States, the chief cotton producer of the world, has quadrupled her production of cotton since 1852, and that the price of cotton in the same time has fallen to about one-fourth that which prevailed in that year. In 1872 the cotton crop is shown to have

been 1,384,051,494 pounds, with an average price of 22.19 cents per pound. In 1898 the crop is reported at 5,667,372,053 pounds, with an average price of 8.23 cents per pound.

This decrease in price is easily accounted for. When it is considered that the other portions of the world have increased their production in their production meantime, it is easily apparent that the increase of the cotton supply has been far in advance of the population or consuming power.

While all of the southern states have suffered by this overproduction in their staple product, Texas has suffered most. She has more than three times more cotton than any other state in the union. At the same time there is but one state, Oklahoma, in which the price is lower, and but one other, Louisiana, in which the price is low. Oklahoma for her 35,531 bales

is 8.00 cents per pound, cotton being as heavy as ever, and the price—it has been lower than ever.

Now the planters are thoroughly disgusted and realize that they must turn their attention to something else. If these fees are not yielding them a revenue, then they must turn to something else.

Preliminary experiments have demonstrated the fact that Texas has both the soil and the climate for tobacco, and the returns for labor promise to be much larger than could be gained in any

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DR. H. F. MERRILL, Augusta, Maine.

THE AMENDED CALL.

For the Convention to Nominate a Railroad Convention.

The official call for a convention to be held at Hopkinsville to nominate a Democratic candidate for railroad commissioner, issued by the Democratic committee of the First railroad district, is as follows:

Resolved, That a district convention shall be held in the First railroad district of Kentucky on Friday, March 10, 1899, for the purpose of nominating a Democratic candidate for railroad commissioner in said district. Said convention shall meet in the city of Hopkinsville at 2 o'clock p.m. Delegates to said convention shall be chosen at county mass conventions, to be held at the various county seats in the district at 2 o'clock p.m., on Saturday March 4, 1899.

That the basis of representation from each county to the district convention shall be one delegate for every 200 votes and each fraction over 100 votes cast for the head of the Democratic electoral ticket at the presidential election in 1896.

That all known democrats and others, who will pledge themselves to support the nominee of said district convention shall be entitled to participate in the county conventions to select delegates.

J. D. MOGNOT, Chairman.

CHAR. M. MEACHAM, Secretary.

Democrats Take Notice.

A Democratic Mass Convention is hereby called to meet at the court house in Hopkinsville, Ky., at 1:30 o'clock, upon Saturday March 4th, 1899, for the purpose of selecting delegates to attend the convention at

Hopkinsville, Ky., which meets up on March 10, 1899, for the purpose of nominating a democratic candidate for Railroad Commissioner for the railroad Commissioner's District in Kentucky.

ISAAC GARROTT, Chairman.
GEO. E. GARY Sec'y., Dem. Co. Com.

Notable Events on Friday.

Washington was married on Friday.

Queen Victoria was married on Friday.

Napoleon Bonaparte was born on Friday.

Battle of Bunker Hill was fought on Friday.

America was discovered on Friday.

Mayflower landed on Friday.

John of Arc was burned at the stake on Friday.

Battle of Waterloo was fought on Friday.

Bastille destroyed on Friday.

Declaration of Independence was signed on Friday.

Julius Caesar assassinated on Friday.

Moscow burned on Friday.

Shakespeare born on Friday.

King Charles beheaded on Friday.

Battle of New Orleans fought on Friday.

Lincoln assassinated on Friday.

Possibilities of the Telephone.

The telephone is one of the instrumentalities of civilization of which the utopian dreamers have made much. Bellamy, in his "Looking Backward," gives to the telephone in the ideal commonwealth of his imagination an importance which appeared as fanciful as many of the other projects therein set forth. Gradually, however, some of these

fancies are being realized in an experimental way to an extent which gives promise of much for the future. It was not long ago that persons living in widely scattered cities were enabled by means of the telephone to hear the speeches at a banquet in Chicago. Another experiment of the same kind was tried Monday evening, when patrons of the Chicago telephone exchange were permitted to hear in their homes the music of the Columbia theater. These successful experiments indicate in a very striking way the possibilities of the telephone. It may be that in future when some eloquent statesman is making a presidential canvass of the country he will not be limited in the size of his audience to those who can crowd within the walls of a single hall, but thousands upon thousands in all parts of the land will be able through the use of telephones to hear him in his greatest oratorical efforts.

Undoubtedly the telephone is destined to play an ever-increasing part in the life of the people. Its possibilities merely serve to emphasize the importance of control of the telephone in the interest of the people and the desirability of making rates as low as possible, to the end that more may enjoy the benefits of this product and agency of modern civilization.—Chicago Record.

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Undercolor in Barred Plymouth Rocks.

It is to be regretted that many very prominent breeders of Barred Plymouth Rocks are paying so much attention to a matter that does not tend to improve the breed viz., undercolor. The points that please the eye most, in my opinion, are surface color, size and shape. In order to get very strong undercolor, many breeders neglect other points.

Judges are giving too much value to small and somewhat unhappy birds. What I think we should all do is to first encourage our favor size and shape. The fact is that many cockerels weighing only from 5 to 6½ pounds, and pullets as low as four pounds, win the leading prizes.

I also favor in males much lighter colored specimens. I prefer as light a colored male as possible, provided he does not fail in good barring. I am told that many of the western judges favor the light colored males. This is as it should be.

The finest birds I have ever raised came last season and three-quarters of them are from a single mating. One of my yards in particular last season produced from eight females and one male the finest lot of cockerels I have ever seen; and from the same yard I can show at least ten pullets that would be hard to beat in any show room.

There is too much loss in practicing the double mating system.

If a breeder wants to illustrate his birds, the only fair way is to use the camera.

Many of the cuts of birds are just as misleading as private scoring. I do not approve of either of these latter plans. By J. B. KIMENOW, in American Poultry Journal.

A Sugar-Eating Contest.

Much amusement was created by a sugar-eating contest held at the Cincinnati Cash Store last Saturday evening. Quite a large crowd assembled to see the fun, and all expressed themselves as amply repaid. There were four contestants, all colored, as follows: Tony Robinson, Jake Saunders, Wes Brodus and Buck Whaley. The boys were lined up to a counter with their hands tied behind them, and in front of each was placed a heaping saucer of granulated sugar. At the given word each fellow seized his face and mouth with his tongue and with all haste devoured his sweetness. Robinson accomplished thefeat first and was awarded first prize, fifty cents. Sanders was a close second and received twenty-five cents; Brodus got third money, ten cents. Buck got off in the lead, but went lame and was badly distanced.

LONDON ROYAL ACADEMY.

Many Famous Men Have Been Enrolled Among Its Professors.

Prof. Jebb, who succeeded to the professorship of ancient history, vacated by the death of Mr. Gladstone, becomes entitled to a distinction which has been awarded to no man over a large part of the civilized world. The most flattering testimony has been received, giving of the most brilliant record of his career, and his name is now known throughout the civilized world. The first professor of ancient history at the Royal Academy was Oliver Goldsmith, who said it was like giving a man lace ruffles when he had not got a shirt. The next was Gibbon, noted, as Boswell remarks, for introducing "a kind of sneering infidelity into his writings." Boswell was himself secretary for foreign correspondence in the same body, while Samuel Johnson was professor of ancient literature. The two famous Hunter's were in turn professors of anatomy, while Hallam, Macaulay, Bennet, Langton, Parker, Percy, and the present bishop of London have all at various times held honorary professorships. The emoluments of these offices are nil, and the duties to eat a dinner annually.—Westminster Gazette.

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A Texas Wonder.

Hall's Great Discovery. One small bottle of Hall's Great Discovery cures kidney and bladder troubles, removes, cures diabetes, seminal emissions, weak and lame back, rheumatism and all other ills of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. Relieves bladder trouble in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1. One small bottle is two months' treatment and will enter my case above mentioned. Price 25c. E. W. HALL, Sole manufacturer, P. O. Box 218, Waco, Tex.

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Dallas, Texas, October 14, 1888.

This is to certify that I have been considered incurable by two good physicians, both saying I had Bright's kidney disease. After using one and one-half bottles of Hall's Great Discovery, of Waco, I think my troubles are at an end.

H. W. BROWN,
St. George Hotel.

The feminine spectators of the great billiard contest voted all the kisses.

DIGEST YOUR FOOD.

Nearly every ailment is caused by faulty diet. Eat well and your body goes into your blood and then you are liable to almost any disease the human system can conceive. Dr. Hall's Great Discovery Powder and wash the results. You will feel like a new man. Give it a trial and be convinced. Price 25c.

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With a great tammy in St. Louis, we could give the Eastern situation words with bark on."

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Cold storage for the public school buildings is as necessary as cold storage for the fruit dealers. See plumper bills.

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Mr. Nuttal feels that he has been carrying a white man's burden and that the vulture looks of ingratitude had pained his vitals.

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Are most likely to find your blood impure and lasting in the eaters whose which enable it to carry nourishment to the nerves and other organs. Therefore you feel weak, tired and listless and are troubled with spring morte. Relief is given by Hall's Great Discovery which purifies, invigorates and vitalizes the blood.

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Winstow Home's superb painting,

the "Maine Coast," is to come to St. Louis, having been purchased by F. A. Bell. No Spanish fleots appear anywhere in this great picture.

Geo. B. Secord, the well known author of "Towanda, N. Y.," says: "I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in my family for a long time and have found it superior to my other." For sale by R. C. Hardwick.

Perhaps there are enough holidays but the day the Allen law is repealed should be made a memorial in the history of the state in some way.

A TIMELY HINT.

You should be sure to have your blood rich and pure and your whole system put in a perfectly healthy condition by the use of Dr. Hall's Great Discovery. It will be free from malarial, typhoid fever, colds and the gripes. Dr. Christian of German River has been using it with great success.

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FRIDAY MAR 3, 1899.—

Another cabinet crisis is on at Madrid and Sagasta has handed in the resignation of the ministry.

The important bills have all been passed and Congress will come to an end at noon to-morrow. There will be no extra session.

The American book company has issued a valuable little pamphlet for school use telling about Cuba, Puerto Rico, Hawaii and the Philippines. It is sold for only ten cents.

A successful operation has been performed on the Pope and his condition is somewhat improved, but he is still so ill that the scheming for the succession is going right along.

Judge A. M. J. Cochran, who is said to be tapped as Judge Barr's successor, is an unknown lawyer of the other end of the State of such obscurity that the Republican leaders here never heard of him. If the President wants to select the ablest Republican lawyer in the State, regardless of the scramble for the place now going on, he should appoint Judge James Breathitt, of this city.

Rudyard Kipling has passed the crisis in his disease and will recover unless he suffers a relapse. It required an iron constitution to bear up against the intensity of the disease, for Mr. Kipling's disease is pneumonia of both lungs. The most advanced scientific methods have been adopted for the treatment, and for several days oxygen was forced into the lungs to tide over the times that Mr. Kipling was unable to breathe sufficient air to sustain life. The oxygen method was abandoned Wednesday, as it was no longer necessary.

The amended call for the Democratic Convention to be held in this city appears in today's paper. The delegates will be selected at a mass convention to be held at the court house tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock and the district convention will be held Friday of next week. All Democrats who will pledge themselves to support the party nominee are invited to participate in the selection of delegates. It is earnestly to be hoped that there will be nothing to disturb the harmony that should characterize the meeting to select the delegates to the convention that will re-nominate Mr. Dempsey for railroad commissioner. The candidacy of Harry Tandy of Paducah, was only intended to add a little more interest to the approaching convention. His name will not be presented to the district convention in this city and Mr. Dempsey will be nominated by acclamation.

It is due Chairman Johnston to say that it was not he that called the meeting of the Committee for the selection of the delegate to the convention and therefore he is not responsible if there is any political trick in making the dates conflict. The meeting was called by Secretary Owen Cochran, who has the power to make the call when a member of the committee is to be elected from the State at large. Chairman Johnston yesterday took steps to change the date, but this may not have been the real change has been made by the Railroad Commission Committee. Chairman Johnston has always shown such a marked disposition to be fair that his friends on the committee and the interested party leaders in Western Kentucky could not understand the motive in making the date for an important State Committee meeting conflict with a big Democratic convention. His friends were glad to learn yesterday that he was not responsible. Courier Journal.

We are glad to learn that Major Johnston was not responsible for a matter that was so difficult to understand. His statement leaves the Secretary in rather an embarrassing attitude.

Chicago Market.

Chicago, Feb. 27. May wheat opened at 73 1/2c. and closed at 72 1/2c.; July wheat opened at 71 1/2c. and closed at 71 1/2c.; May corn 36 1/2c.

FLEMING AND GOEBEL.

Two State Candidates Will Speak Next Week.

Hon. W. B. Fleming, candidate for attorney General, will speak at the court house next Monday at 1 o'clock p. m., and present his claims to the Democratic voters.

On Tuesday at the same hour Senator Wm. Goebel, one of the candidates for Governor, will make his first speech to a Christian county audience. Although he will come as a stranger, Senator Goebel already has a strong and influential following here and will be given a respectful hearing by the friends of all the candidates. It is expected that he will have something to say about the fight being made up in him all of the Louisville papers.

THE WRONG ROAD.

Predicament of a Drummer Who Had Lost His Way.

A drummer lost his way in a South-west Georgia county, where there was a good deal of religious enthusiasm at that time. So he gave his horse the rein and made the best of it.

Presently he was confronted by a sign-board nailed to a pine tree at the forks of a road.

The sign read: "Turn, sinner, turn."

The drummer followed its advice and turned on the road nearest the sign.

A little farther on he was confronted by another sign. "You are on the way to hell!"

That was tough, but like many another man, he kept on. Yet one more sign-board faced him: "Sinner, you are lost forever!"

"God help us!" cried the drummer. "Between all these signs what's a poor lost devil to do?"

"Get right down on your knees," cried a voice from the bushes, "an' cry ter mercy!"

That was too much for him, and putting spurs into his horse, he fled like the wind, nor did he stop until he reached the railroad, where he signaled a freight train and shook the dust of that ghostly neighborhood from his shoes. Atlanta Constitutional.

RECESSIONAL.

God of our fathers, known of old
Lord of our far-flung battle-line
Heneath whose awful hand we hold.Dominion over palm and pine
Lord of Hosts, be with us yet,
Lest we forget, lest we forget!The tumult and the shouting dies,
The captains and the kings depart.

Still stands thine ancient sacrifice.

An humble and a contrite heart,
Lord of Hosts, be with us yet,
Lest we forget, lest we forget!Par-called our navies melt away
On dun and headlands sinks the fire.Lo! all our pomp of yesterday
Is one with Nineveh and Tyre!
Judge of the Nations! spare us yet,
Lest we forget, lest we forget!

I drink with sight of power we loose.

Wild tongues that have not Thee in awe.

Such boasting as the gentiles use
On lesser breeds with the Law
Lord of Hosts, be with us yet,
Lest we forget, lest we forget.

For heathen heart that puts her trust

In reeking tube and iron shard—
All valiant dust that builds on dust.

And guarding calls not Thee to guard.

For frantic boast and foolish word,
Thy mercy on Thy People, Lord!

Amen. —RUDYARD KIPLING.

Beware of Outbreaks for Coughs!

Contal Mercury.

as mercury will surely destroy the use of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces.

Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them.

Cather's Cough Cure, Cather's Cough Remedy, manufactured by F. J. Cather & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system.

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The Fifteen

A BIG ESTATE

Disposed of By Matthew Layne's Last Will.

The will of the late Matthew Layne, admitted to probate a few days ago, disposes of an estate of about \$30,000.

He leaves his home near Fairview, with all its live stock and appurtenances and \$2,000 to his wife, Malvina Layne.

To the Bethel Baptist Church he leaves \$3,000 to be invested and the interest applied to the pastor's salary.

To the Southern Baptist Home Mission Board at Atlanta, the foreign Mission Board at Richmond, Va., the Kentucky Baptist Orphans' Home at Louisville, and the Southern Baptist Seminary at Louisville he gives \$500 each, and also gives \$1,000 to the Baptist Ministers' Aid Society.

Other bequests are as follows: Miss Fannie Layne \$500, Julia Keeling \$500, Mollie E. Layne \$250, Louis Layne \$500, Thos. Wilkins \$250, Oscar Layne \$250, Thurston Layne \$500, W. H. Gray's two youngest children \$250.

He further leaves \$500 to keep the family graveyard in repair.

His farm near Fairview is to be sold and any sum left over after paying all bequests is to be prorated among the Baptist institutions named in his will. Mr. Oscar Layne is appointed executor of the will.

KENTUCKY BANK CASES.

Argument Begun Before the Supreme Court at Washington.

Washington, March 1.—Owing to the adjournment of the Supreme Court on account of the death of Lord Herschel, the Kentucky bank tax cases will go over until tomorrow.

Mr. Julian opened the argument yesterday afternoon for the municipalities of Frankfort and Louisville. He had not finished his argument when the court adjourned. He will continue tomorrow and will then be followed by Messrs. Humphrey, Helm and other attorneys for the banks. Mr. Stone will close for the Bank of Louisville. The hearing will not be concluded by a late hour on Friday.

Andrews Opera Company.

Those of us public who really appreciate the classical music in the way of Grand Opera, will welcome the fact. Manager Ennis is using his best efforts to secure the celebrated ANDREWS OPERA COMPANY for two nights in this city. Whether he succeeds or not depends upon the amount of subscription sale he is enabled to assure, the requisite being 200 books containing 4 tickets each at \$3.00 per book, which number will guarantee the company's appearance here in choice of operas to be selected from the following: Flotow's tuneful and charming opera "MARIA," Mascagni's famous prize opera "CAVALIERI RUSTICO," AFA, and the beautiful French opera-comique, "GIROFLE-GIROFLA."

The reason of the subscription system is that it permits the price of seats being placed within the reach of all who specially enjoy operatic entertainments, viz: \$1.30 each, or 75 cents each where the book is secured, a saving by the after of 25 per cent to the purchaser.

The company is one of the most prominent now before the public presenting Grand and Comic Opera in English. It aggregates 40 people and the cast includes some of the very best lyric talent known to the operatic stage. The fact of their making a prolonged run in Philadelphia last spring and summer to phenomenal business is a surety of their exceptional merit. They are lavishly equipped in the way of accessories and handsome costumes, which, together with their capable ensemble adds much to the enjoyment of their productions.

Manager Ennis respectfully solicits the ardent support of our music lovers in this matter, and will consider it a favor if those who wish to assist him will send their names and the number of books they will subscribe for to Hopper Bros., the regular reserve seat sale subscribers will have access to the chart one day in advance of the regular sale.

Health Order.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Feb. 27, 1899.

KENTUCKIAN:

Please state for the benefit of the colored people that the Kentucky State Board of Health has issued an order prohibiting the sale of tickets from Louisville, Cincinnati, or other points where smallpox exists, for the transportation of colored passengers, to points in Kentucky, unless they have certificates of recent vaccination and freedom

from exposure to smallpox.

Yours truly,

"Evil Dispositions Are Early Shown."

Just so evil in the blood comes out in shape of scrofula, pimples, etc., in children and young people. Taken in time it can be eradicated by using Hood's Sarsaparilla. In older people, the aftermath of irregular living shows itself in bilious conditions, a heavy head, a foul mouth, a general bad feeling.

It is the blood, the impure blood, friends, which is the real cause. Purify that with Hood's Sarsaparilla and happiness will reign in your family.

Blood Poison.—"I lived in a nest of fire for years owing to blood poisoning that followed small pox. It broke out all over my body, itching intensely. Tried doctors and hospitals in vain. I tried Hood's Sarsaparilla. It helped. I kept at it and was cured. I could go on the house tops and stand about it." —MRS. J. T. WILLIAMS, Carbondale, Pa.

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There are several thousand boys and hundreds of men engaged in St. Louis in a business which brings a weekly profit of from \$8,000 to 10,000. It's the selling of daily papers. Hundreds of families live comfortably on the profits of the sale of daily newspapers.

One of the best known papers with the boys is the POST-DISPATCH, because it sells best. An investigation has shown that the boys sell more copies of the daily POST-DISPATCH than the combined sales of the two other English evening papers.

One of the pleasures the boys find in selling papers is they are their "own bosses." They come and go when they please. While many have regular corners and standposts, others walk the streets each having his own peculiar way of "crying" out his papers.

The situation is quite different on Sunday. The papers are printed in the morning and by six o'clock boys and men are out in search of buyers.

There are four English Sunday papers. Many boys take out 300 papers. A boy taking from two to three hundred papers has all he can do to get over the ground.

Sunday is a week day finds the POST-DISPATCH everywhere. It's really selling. It's a great success.

The Sunday POST-DISPATCH has many original and exclusive features, including the Colored page weekly.

These great newspaper offices have what is called a "Circulation Department." The object of which is to promote the sale of the papers. This department answers all requests for sample copies (which are sent free), and so on. In the country side it is said, "If you are coming to look for 'agents' (boys or men to sell for me). This is done by the aid of traveling men and correspondence. All letters are promptly answered. It is pleasant work, especially in the towns outside of St. Louis. Boys in the out-of-town towns are called newsboys, but agents.

More money is made outside of St. Louis because the selling price is more and the profit greater.

If you are not yet an agent for the Post-Dispatch in this city write to the circulation department of Post-Dispatch, St. Louis.

Improved Ventilator

An improved ventilator for rooms is formed of a gauze screen set in an aperture cut in the lower sash of the window, with an adjustable damper by which the passage can be closed, the screen keeping out the dust that

TELL-TALE MUSTACHE.

Expert Explains How Character Can Be Read in It.

It is possible to discover the chief characteristics of a man from the shape, color and texture of his mustache.

Take, for instance, the German emperor. Note how his mustache grows straight along the lip to the corners of the mouth, the ends then turning upward in a sharp curve. This style undeniably indicates rapidity of thought and decision, and if ever a man could be judged by his mustache it is his majesty. After careful study the same remark may be fairly applied to present-day men of his particular disposition.

In the case of Rt. Hon. A. J. Balfour a striking contrast presents itself. One note instinctively the soft, easy drop over the lip, covering the corners of the mouth. This indicates the open mind of the philosopher, and the man who must think and ponder before he gives effect to any act of diplomacy. Next comes H. H. the czar of Russia, and the first thing noticeable is the fine, full, natural curl of that of the duke of York is most striking.

There is a regular even growth with a direct line of hair from the nostril to the end of the lip, and this shows that ambition tempered by a thoroughly even mind is the principal trait in each character.

Added to the above-mentioned types of mustaches may be those of Mr. G. H. Rhodes, of Lord Elcho and Son; S. S. Verner, the Pottinger in minister in London. Each is characteristic of the owner, yet not unlike, either in appearance, training or texture of the hair.

But whether light or heavy, long or short, each and every mustache is thoroughly indicative of the leading traits of character possessed by its particular owner.—London Mail.

THE YOUTHFUL MATRON.

Her Idea of Using Money for a Rainy Day.

She is very fond of the responsibility of housekeeping, and he was doing his best to give her good advice about how to economize and systematize her affairs. And, as most young husbands do, he was constantly casting discredit on his own fitness to advise by making applications to borrow back, for his personal expenses in town, money which he had given her for her domestic use.

"I have only a little money, dear," she protested—"barely enough to market with."

"But I thought I had handled you quite a little sum for an emergency some time ago. This is an emergency, you know. You wouldn't want a man to go without his lunch and a cigar, would you?"

"I don't know what money you mean."

"Why, I gave it to you only last week, and told you then was something for a rainy day."

"What for?"

"For a rainy day."

"I think you must have somehow misinterpreted me."

"Maybe I did. But I certainly got a nicely wrapped-up and a beautiful umbrella, and they were real bargains, too,"—London Mail.

FLOORED THE CZAR.

Prince George of Greece Defeated Him with the Gloves.

Some good stories are told in St. Petersburg about the czar's devotion to boxing, which is quite his hobby. At the Kremlin, Moscow, and also at the winter palace, in the capital, he has rooms specially fitted up for his exercise. He usually takes four hours a day, and apparently the czar is a good boxer.

He is a good boxer, but he is not the czar in the Zoo, and longer.

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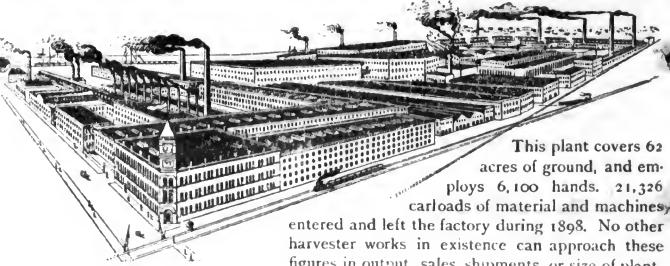
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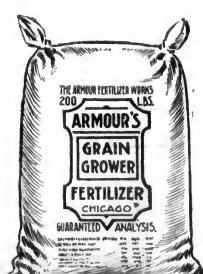
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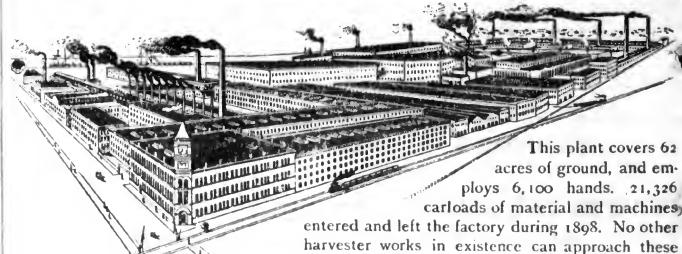
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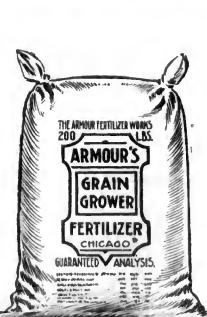
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